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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Shimla-Z, the 31st October, 2005

No. EDN-C.A(1)-2/2004. – The Governor of Himachal Pradesh is pleased to order the restructuring of the Education and the Primary Education Directorates as under:

General:

1. Directorate of Primary Education shall henceforth be called as Directorate of Elementary Education, while the Education Directorate will be called as Directorate of Higher Education.

2. The financial and administrative control of classes VI to VIII presently with the Directorate of Education will stand transferred to the Directorate of Elementary Education. Consequently, all teaching staff and concerned non-teaching staff detailed for classes VI to VIII will stand transferred and will form part of Elementary Education Directorate.
3. The word 'Elementary' will replace the word 'Primary' in the names of offices and in the designation of officers of the Primary Education Directorate. Similarly the word 'Higher' will be added before the word 'Education' in the case of Education Directorate.
4. The drawl of salary of teaching/non-teaching staff will continue to be drawn by the existing DDOs till such time as alternative arrangements are in place.
5. The studies of pupils should not under any circumstances suffer on account of the re-division of directorates, restructuring of schools, redistribution of teaching staff, etc.

Re-division of the schools:

6. The re-division of the schools will be done as under:—
 - (a) All Existing Primary and Middle schools operating from the same building will merge into a single Elementary School and their separate identity will cease to exist. Staff both teaching and non-teaching working in these primary and middle schools will merge and formulate a common time table, mark attendance on a single register and work as a single unit.
 - (b) All Primary and Middle Schools operating in a place within 0.5 km. (500 metres) of each other will merge into a single Elementary School. However, they may continue to operate from two separate premises for the time being, but ultimately they will operate from common premises after creation of required accommodation facilities. The units operating from a distance of more than 0.5 km. (500 metres) from each other will function as two independent primary sections i.e. primary (Classes I to V) and upper primary (classes VI to VIII) sections of a composite Elementary School.
 - (c) In places, where primary schools are operating in the premises of High or Senior Secondary Schools, the upper Primary section will be separated from High/Senior Secondary School and will be merged with the Primary School to form an Elementary school. The premises will also be proportionately divided/earmarked as per the requirements in view of respective strength of the classes.

(d) In places, where Primary Schools are operating in independent premises but within 0.5 km. (500 metres) of High/Senior Secondary School, the upper primary section will initially be detached from the High/Senior Secondary School, but continue to operate from the same premises. However, after the provisioning of required accommodation facilities, it will be made operative from one unified unit. But, even on operating from different premises it will be called as the upper Primary unit of the said Elementary School.

(e) After the implementation and completion of restructuring, the building of high and senior secondary schools, in due course, will be partitioned to separate the upper primary schools, so as to make them separate units.

(f) Redeployment of teachers for Elementary, High and Senior Secondary levels shall be made on the basis of the enrolment and in accordance with the approved norms. Till such time final arrangements are made, the teaching cadres required by both the directorates be deployed suitably.

(g) The control of TGT and C&V cadres shall henceforth vest with the Director Elementary Education. However, these cadres shall continue to be deployed in High Schools also as per the requirement from time to time.

(h) The Non-Teaching staff shall also be redistributed and separate cadres formulated after obtaining options etc.

(i) There will be a temporary re-deployment of ministerial staff as well as officers of the two Directorates.

7. A Headmaster will head the Elementary School, while the Senior Secondary School will be headed by Principal. Stand-alone High schools however, will be headed by the senior most teacher of the school till such time it is not merged with nearest complex Senior Secondary School OR upgraded as Senior Secondary School.

8. There will be no post of HT/CHT in the Primary Sections of Elementary Schools. However, the post of HT/CHT will continue to exist in the Stand alone Primary Sections of Elementary Schools which are located beyond the distance of 500 metres from the COMPLEX Elementary school, out of the available sanctioned posts of HT/CHT. However, they will work under the Headmaster of Elementary Schools.

9. In future Elementary Teachers shall be recruited as per NCTE/State Norms. The State norms shall be prepared by SCERT immediately.

10. The lecturers/PGTIs, who are now teaching classes XI & XII will henceforth, also teach classes IX & X in the secondary schools.
11. The services of existing JBTs/VUs/GVUs/PATIs will be utilised for teaching in Primary Units of Elementary Schools.
12. Till such time regular Elementary Trained Teachers become available, persons with BA/BSc, B.Ed qualifications can be recruited as ETIs. They will be given 6 months specially designed training courses as per NCTE norms, to overcome the shortage of Elementary Trained Teachers.

The Governor of Himachal Pradesh is further pleased to order the constitution of the following committees for re-distribution of staff, building and other assets and also for separating budgetary allocations between the two directorates:

A. State Level Committee:

(i)	Sh. Yogesh, Joint Director (C-2) (Higher Education).	Member
(ii)	S. Santosh Nag, Joint Director (S-2) (Higher Education).	Member
(iii)	Sh. D.C. Negi, Deputy Director Administration (Elementary Education).	Member
(iv)	Sh. B.K. Sondhi, Assistant Director Schools (Elementary Education).	Member

B. District Level Committee:

(i)	Deputy Director Higher Education of the respective district	Member
(ii)	Deputy Director Elementary Education of the respective district.	Member

The above said committees will submit their recommendation within a period of FOUR weeks to both the Directors. While, formulating their recommendations they will recommend re-distribution post-wise and not by names of incumbents. Further, in case the consensus is not forthcoming in any matter at committees level, the issue will be resolved at the level of Directors failing which at the Government level.

This will come into force with immediate effect.

By order,
P. MITRA,
Principal Secretary